

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING A SISTER CITIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR THE PURPOSE AND DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR THE NUMBER OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS; PROVIDING CRITERIA FOR COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP; PROVIDING FOR LENGTH OF TERM OF THE COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, the Hollywood City Commission wishes to establish a Sister Cities Advisory Committee ("Committee") to implement the "Sister City" concept as envisioned by the President of the United States in 1956 to establish greater friendship and understanding between the peoples of the United States and other nations through the medium of direct personal contact; and

WHEREAS, this Committee will recognize and endorse the program of Sister Cities International to affiliate with cities in other nations of similar characteristics and mutual interests for the purpose of creating greater mutual understanding between the cities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA:

Section 1: That the foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct.

Section 2: That there is established the Sister Cities Advisory Committee, which shall be made up of five members, and shall be chosen from the community by a majority vote of the City Commission. To be considered, an applicant must first meet the minimum qualifications set forth in Section 3.

Section 3: That Committee candidates for City Commission consideration shall meet the following criteria:

- a) all members of the Committee shall be registered voters and shall be residents of Broward County;
- b) all members of the Committee shall have an interest in promoting the Sister Cities Program in the City of Hollywood;
- c) all members of the Committee shall have a strong background in travel, cultural exchange, and fund raising, if possible;

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d) one member of the Committee shall be from the Greater Hollywood Chamber of Commerce; and

e) four members of the Committee shall be selected at-large.

Section 4: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2023.

JOSH LEVY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DOUGLAS R. GONZALES
CITY ATTORNEY